

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Northern California: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday with fog along the coast. Fresh west wind.

You will find THE TRIBUNE in every town and hamlet in Alameda County the day it is printed. It gets there with all the news.

BOXERS GATHER IN FORCE ON THE ROAD TO PEKING.

BERLIN August 27.—A dispatch received here from Tien Tsin says large bodies of Boxers are concentrating fifteen miles northeast of Yang Tsun. Yang Tsun, is a town on the Pei Ho River, about sixteen miles as the crow flies from Tien Tsin, on the way to Peking. Dispatches from Peking report that armed Chinese are reported to the southward and westward. A well-intrenched force has been located by the Bengal Lancers in a village four miles to the southwest. It is believed that the best Chinese leaders are in command.

CHINESE ARE ADVANCING TO TAKE PEKING.

Nine Thousand Troops on the Way. Will Try to Cut the Communications of the Allies.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Aug. 27.—A dispatch from Tokio says General Yamaguchi reports the Chinese have not abandoned hope of retaking Peking and that 9,000 men with fifteen guns were advancing towards Peking from Shan Tung, probably intending to cut the allies' communications.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Cable interruptions continue to keep the Government here in the dark as to what is happening in China, and notwithstanding the most urgent appeals to the cable officials and to our own officials there, no word has got through from China since Saturday. One of the cable companies this morning notified the State, Navy and War Departments that the Great Northern cable route, meandering the Siberian line, through which Peking is reached from the north and Japan and Korea are in part served, is interrupted at a point between Blagowichenska and Khabarovska. The Eastern cable route is operating, subject to great delay, though it is still open to Japanese points.

The embassies and legations here, with the exception of the Japanese legation, are taring no better than the State Department in the matter of the receipt of news. Minister Wu and Baron Speck von Sternberg, the latter now acting as charge of the German embassy, both called at the State Department this morning in search of information. Minister Wu stated that he had not one word from Li Hung Chang, or, in fact, from any member of the Chinese government, for some days, and that he was entirely dependent upon the State Department and the newspapers for information. He was perturbed by the reiteration in the press of the story that Germany, Russia and Japan had finally decided upon a formal declaration of war against China, and was much relieved to ascertain that the State Department was absolutely without confirmation of the report.

The condition of affairs at Amoy is for the moment attracting the greatest share of attention at the Department. The United States Consul at that point has become very much alarmed at the rioting, at the incendiary fires, and lastly at the landing of a considerable force of Japanese marines and sailors. The officials do not care to say whether or not he has joined in any protest against the Japanese action. If he has done so, however, the Government will act up-

RESULT OF THE PRIMARY BATTLE.

Full Lists of the Men Who Will Compose the Several Conventions.

The primaries on Saturday passed off quietly. The fight in the Twenty-seventh Senatorial district resulted in the election of Russell Lukens and the defeat of the Waste and Dodge tickets. The struggle was one of the warmest that has ever taken place in Oakland, but was conducted with perfect good humor on both sides. The friends of Mr. Lukens, after the result became known on Saturday night, serenaded him with a brass band, also serenading Congressman Metcalf and several other prominent citizens.

The Supervisorial fight in the Fourth district was won by Councilman Rowe, but Supervisor Roeth will go into the convention and make a showing. John Mitchell, who succeeds himself from the Fifth Supervisorial District, made a vigorous fight against Dr. Pierce and won it. There were several cases of alleged illegal voting in the primaries, the police court disposing of them in various ways today. The cases of Edward Troy, J. E. Cuddy, S. C. Pope and A. J. Lefort for disturbing the peace have been continued until tomorrow by Police Judge Smith for the filing of complaints. The four are alleged to have disturbed the peace and quiet of Saturday's primaries by trying to put in more than one ballot each.

J. H. Jones and John Gray were also up for disturbing the peace of the polis, but after an investigation Prosecutor Leach asked that they be dismissed. It appears that the two had a prospective voter in tow and each was insistently vociferous in proclaiming the qualities of his candidate, so much so that it disturbed those in the immediate vicinity.

The tabulated statement of returns in the Senatorial district:

FIFTIETH DISTRICT. Lukens, Waste, Dodge. 602 San Pablo..... 111 27 137 1023 San Pablo..... 249 38 27 1002 Telegraph..... 272 51 24 City Hall..... 173 30 14 14th and Market..... 136 28 18 Totals..... 901 289 91

FIFTY-FIRST DISTRICT. Lukens, Waste, Dodge. 960 East 14th..... 224 28 79 620 East 12th..... 271 33 137 1023 San Pablo..... 249 38 27 Kane & Daly's..... 250 27 9 Piedmont Power House..... 99 14 10 Oakland & Yuma ave..... 41 12 20 Mountain View..... 11 15 6 Claremont..... 8 28 2 Peralta..... 78 34 23 46th and Grove..... 149 57 22 Sord's store..... 148 57 22 Berkeley..... 64 117 2 Calhoun's..... 43 229 0 Porter's office..... 43 229 0 Alert fire house..... 42 119 1 Smith's office..... 41 109 1 Amabile avenue..... 24 34 3 Totals..... 1773 1130 401

Grand total..... 2674 1329 492

The tabulated statement of returns in the Supervisorial district follows:

FOURTH SUPERVISORIAL. First precinct, 6 delegates. Rowe, Roeth. 203 East 12th..... 167 92 203 Kane & Daly's..... 166 109 203 Piedmont Power House..... 12 12 203 Mountain View..... 11 15 6 Claremont..... 8 28 2 Peralta..... 78 34 23 46th and Grove..... 149 57 22 Sord's store..... 148 57 22 Berkeley..... 64 117 2 Calhoun's..... 43 229 0 Porter's office..... 43 229 0 Alert fire house..... 42 119 1 Smith's office..... 41 109 1 Amabile avenue..... 24 34 3 Totals..... 473 381

Second precinct, 6 delegates. Rowe, Roeth. 620 East 12th..... 271 33 137 963 East 14th..... 200 134 Totals..... 471 295

Third precinct, 2 delegates. Rowe, Roeth. Palo Alto Stables..... 25 150

GEN. OLIVIER CAPTURED BY THE BRITISH.

The Boers Meet Disaster at Winburg.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Aug. 27.—The War Office has received the following from Lord Roberts:

1st precinct..... 473 381 6	Rowe, Roeth, Delegates.
2d precinct..... 457 298 1	
3d precinct..... 36 139 1	
4th precinct..... 118 324 7	
5th precinct..... 425 344 7	
Totals..... 1497 1497	

JUDICIAL CONVENTION. The delegates elected to the Judicial Convention, which meets on September 1st and which will renominate Judges Ellsworth and Ogden, are as follows: FORTY-SIXTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.

A. W. More, Thos. E. Knox, J. W. Harris, E. E. Usher, F. T. Hawes, J. V. Ralph, J. Q. Hollis.

FORTY-SEVENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. E. K. Taylor, A. R. Hamlin, J. C. Bates, J. Max Gundlach, A. Victors, M. W. Simpson, Geo. H. Payne, A. V. Clark, Albert Rhoda, P. H. Blake, Dr. Wm. F. Lynch, John W. Haas, A. Gove Roberts, Henry Meininger.

FORTY-EIGHTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. Sol Kahn, George Kirk, George Adams, John Donovan, Frank Barnett, Abe Davis.

FORTY-NINTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. Robt. G. Graham, D. A. Robertson, W. H. L. Hynes, W. F. Kroll, J. R. Dewar, Chas. Holton, J. S. Emery, Charles Hadlen.

FIFTIETH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. John A. Britton, John L. Bromley, Geo. S. Naismith, Abe P. Leach, John J. Allen, Julius Zabel, Clarence Crowell, Dr. John Fear.

FIFTY-FIRST ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. A. K. Grim, H. C. Barrow, J. Clem Arnold, George E. Frame, A. L. Hannaford, Mailler Seales, Dr. H. P. Carleton, John Yule, Jas. A. Johnson, Wm. A. Donaldson, Frank Bilger, W. R. Emery.

SENATORIAL DELEGATES.

The Senatorial battle in the Twenty-seventh District was ciphered down to a fight for the delegates for the Fifty-first Assembly District, and in this result is known. The convention will be composed as follows:

FIFTIETH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. John A. Bliss, John A. Britton, J. F. W. Sohst, Jas. P. Taylor, John Russ, A. H. Breed, Geo. S. Meredith, R. A. Marshall, S. W. Condon, Mortimer Smith, Mark A. Thomas, Geo. E. Mather, Clarence Crowell, Clyde D. Carman, Felton Taylor, Abe P. Leach, John De Laney Jr., A. H. Elliott, F. M. Hathaway.

FIFTY-FIRST ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. Dr. N. K. Foster, H. A. Melvin, H. A. Tubbs, John S. Derby, James Moir, W. W. Crane, J. Walter Scott, J. B. Greenleaf, F. L. McCready, Harry A. Crandall, Fred Seuberg, J. W. Watson, S. S. C. Parker, B. B. Gottshall, Dr. G. D. Hoagland, W. W. Smith, Fletcher Simms, H. W. Squires, D. J. Keane, Geo. D. Jones, Will W. Blair, H. L. Smith, Geo. Calvert, R. H. Chaloner, Judge J. M. Havens, W. H. Knight, A. C. Henry, Bartholomew Noyes, Chas. E. Palmer.

SUPERVISORS.

In the Fourth Supervisorial District the result shows the election of Rowe and the defeat of Supervisor Roeth. The following are the delegates:

M. J. Keller, C. H. Daly, James Moir, J. W. Evans, W. C. Donaldson, W. A. Dow, Frank Bilger, Wilbur Walker, Eugene Van Court, W. T. Hamilton, Dr. Frank Woolsey, Arthur Elliston, H. Merrill, Albert Brown, A. D. Smith, S. N. Wyckoff, A. L. Ott, Guy Chick, J. S. Mills.

George Bush, T. N. Remillard, W. S. Porter, L. Hyde, James Kelly, J. S. Burpee, L. L. Alexander, J. L. Champ-lin, W. R. Strong.

MOB BATTLES WITH A WOMAN.

Four of the Attacking Party are Fatally Shot in a Desperate Fight.

GILMAN, Ill., Aug. 27.—Two men killed, three wounded, two of them perhaps fatally, one woman wounded and her residence burned, are the results of an all-night battle between a mob and Mrs. Dr. C. W. Wright, who was accused of the murder of Dessie Salter, the 16-year-old daughter of a citizen by Mrs. Dr. Wright.

Michael Ryan, Deputy Constable. Fatally wounded: Lawrence Ryan, brother of the dead man, wounded in the abdomen. George Willoughby, citizen, shot through left lung.

Mrs. Dr. C. W. Wright, shot through right shoulder, bullet taking downward course. Peter Hauer, member of attacking party, shot through stomach.

Mrs. Dr. Wright was about 50 years old. It is stated she was formerly an actress. For some time she has been conducting a lying-in hospital on the outskirts of Gilman.

About 10 o'clock in the evening the first act of the tragedy was enacted. It was precipitated by the investigation of the Coroner's jury into the death of Dessie Salter, a 16-year-old girl, who died in the hospital Friday night and was taken to her home in Leonard, Ill., under cover of darkness early Saturday. No coffin was procured. She was wrapped in an old blanket and a piece of carpet and buried. After the jury had heard the evidence of Clarence Salter, father of the girl, the Coroner came to the conclusion that it was injudicious to wait longer for Mrs. Wright's arrest and a warrant was sworn out by the police magistrate for her arrest. Constable Nilstead with a posse went to the house to serve the warrant about 10 o'clock last night. Mrs. Wright barred the door. The Constables broke the outer door and entered the darkened rooms.

Michael Ryan was about to enter the door of the inner apartment when a shot rang out and he fell dead. The Constables made a hurried exit and formed a picket line around the building. They fired into the building in the hope that the occupants would surrender, but without success.

Finally it was determined to set fire to the building. The recent rains had so dampened its timbers that the fire would not catch, and after burning some outbuildings the posse gave up the attempt and fell back to their original program of driving out Mrs. Wright. About 3 o'clock the family of Michael Ryan arrived. A mob of probably 250 people had gathered. Most of them were armed. The scenes of grief which followed the arrival of Ryan's wife and children fired the crowd with frenzy. They seized dozens of bundles of straw, saturated them with petroleum, piled them against the front and sides of the so-called hospital and applied the torch. In a moment the place was a mass of flames.

Shot after shot rang from the upper windows, and George Willoughby, a local representative of the Standard Oil Company, fell with a bullet in the left side. The next victim was Peter Hauer, a member of the attacking party. These casualties so angered the crowd that they volleyed the house as fast as they could load their firearms. Contrary to expectations, no screams followed the progress of the flames, and the mob began to think the inmates of the burning house had been cremated. Suddenly

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SILLY FAKE OFFICIALLY PUNCTURED.

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THE MERRITT CASE IS NOW BEING TRIED.

Judge Sweeney of Shasta on the Bench.

At last a judge has been found to hear the petition of Horace W. Philbrook the disbarred attorney for letters of guardianship on the estates of James P. Merritt and the minor children of James P. and Fred A. Merritt to whom Philbrook could urge no objection.

The case opened this morning with Judge Sweeney of Shasta sitting in the place of Judge Greene. Most of the morning session was taken by Philbrook reading his remarkable petition, a dreary proceeding that sent everybody out of the courtroom except those who were compelled to stay.

In this petition he alleges that James P. Merritt is mentally incompetent, and that Fred A. Merritt is in league with a number of well known citizens who are alleged to have conspired to plunder Jas. P. Merritt and the minor Merritt children. On the basis of these picturesque charges, Philbrook asks the court to place him in possession of the estates of the Merritts.

As he is not a relative of the family, and has no interest in the property save a desire to handle it the case is unique and interesting. When Philbrook finished reading the petition the court took a recess till 1 o'clock. At the afternoon session Philbrook made an opening statement, in which he said all the property embraced in the Knowles trust had been so encumbered that it was necessary to appoint a guardian for the beneficiaries. Fred A. Merritt, he claimed, had received a larger share in the division than James P. Merritt. He denied that he had made any charges against either Fred A. or James P. Merritt, but said it was notorious that they were unable to take care of themselves. He said Myron T. Dushinsky was more suited to handle the property than himself. After some further remarks in this line Philbrook went into a recapitulation of various agreements and property transfers made between the heirs at law of Catherine M. Garcelon and Dr. Samuel Merritt. Just what connection this narrative had with the matter in hand was not made clear, except that it extended Philbrook's already long list of "conspirators."

GUNBOAT ORDERED TO AMOY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The gunboat Castine, Commander Bowman commanding, has been ordered to Amoy, China, to report on conditions there. The Castine is at Shanghai.

TRANSPORT IS OVERDUE AT MANILA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The transport Californian, reported from Manila to be overdue a week, carries 5,500 tons of quartermaster's and commissary stores.

TELEGRAPH LINES CUT BY BOXERS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—War Department officials believe that the line between Shanghai and Chefoo has been cut by Boxers, as the last advices received from Tien Tsin were dated August 23d. Such interruptions would delay all messages several days, as they would have to be sent from Chefoo to Shanghai by steamer, a trip of about four days.

Long Beach Paper Attached.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 27.—The Pacific Tribune of Long Beach was attached Saturday at the instance of the Farmers' & Merchants' Bank of this city. Later the oil stock of the Hartford Oil Company was attached for the same claim of \$2,400. J. C. Dillon, owner of the Pacific Tribune, is a director of the oil company. The claim is for money borrowed on the credit of the company to develop the oil property. The directors of the oil company say that the claim of the bank will be paid today.

FRITSCH Fine Tailoring Abrahamson Building 13th and Washington

DOPE FIEND STABS FRESNO PUGILIST.

FRESNO, Aug. 27.—Harris Ledsinger, a baseball player and pugilist, was stabbed at noon in the back, by Tom Muayon, an alleged dope fiend. The affair occurred on the street after a previous encounter in a saloon. Muayon had two knives, one of which Ledsinger took from him in the saloon. Ledsinger's wound is dangerous.

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proceedings against the trustees of the Garcelon estate. He effected a compromise by which the Merritts were given \$50,000 in trust. Foot's fee was a contingency of 25 per cent of what he recovered. He therefore received \$125,000. According to Philbrook this was a bribe paid by the trustees of the Garcelon estate. The \$50,000 remaining embraced the property covered by the Merritts' trust. The nomination of Justice Henshaw to the Supreme Bench by the trustees of the Garcelon estate, and charged that Judge Henshaw resigned his seat on the Superior Bench after his election in 1894, as the result of a collusion understanding with Reed, A. L. Erick and others by which Erick was to be appointed to the vacancy thus created. As Erick had served as deputy when George W. Reed was District Attorney, Philbrook considered that Reed exercised some sinister influence over him. Philbrook then made a rambling statement about the Merritt property to show how he became connected with it. He said he had been employed by the Merritts in the name of James T. Merritt. He broke the Garcelon Trust, for which he was to receive a contingent fee. Subsequently Edward Hackett, one of the alleged conspirators, informed him that some Oakland lawyers must be taken into the case, and A. A. Moore was employed. When Mr. Moore found that Philbrook contemplated an attack on Mr. Foot's fee, he refused to have anything to do with the case. Moore said Foot was his friend and that he would not countenance any attack on him. Then George W. Williams was brought into the case and Philbrook discovered that he was colluding with the enemy. It appeared from his statement that whenever any attorney associated with the Merritts differed from his views as to the conduct of the case, Philbrook immediately saw in that a proof of his associates' treachery and dishonesty. He related the particulars of an alleged attempt made by an agent of Bowdoin College to bribe him for \$50,000 to betray the members after a similar attempt to bribe M. T. Dunsbury had failed.

ORE HANDLERS
ON A STRIKE

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CLEVELAND, Aug. 27.—All of the ore handlers employed on the Erie Railway docks in this city, about 600 in number, went on strike today as a result of a refusal of the owners of the same to employ Simon J. Murphy to allow a claim for extra compensation for unloading a wet cargo of ore. At a meeting of the ore handlers today it was decided that if a settlement was not promptly reached at the Erie docks a strike would be declared on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railway docks. This would affect 1,400 men.

WASHINGTON
FUSIONISTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 27.—The State Conventions of the three anti-Republican parties will assemble here at 2 o'clock today in separate halls. Fusion will be accomplished at once and easily. Government is certain at the present moment of receiving a renominating opposition is uniting on Charles Voorhes of Spokane. Rogers' nomination may cause a split in the Fusion forces of the State, the Populists of some counties threatening a bolt.

MUNYON'S
COLD CURE

TRIBUTE TO
THE CAUSE OF
HUMAN LABOR.
Grand Celebration to
Be Held Monday
Next.

Procession in the Morning
and a Picnic in the
Afternoon.

The celebration of Labor Day next Monday will be on a scale of magnificence never before attempted in this city. The whole day will be set apart for the purpose of paying tribute to the cause and dignity of human labor.

There will be an immense procession in this city in the morning, after which there will be a grand outing in the park for both events.

The procession will move at 10 o'clock, sharp, from the corner of Second street and Broadway. It will be officiated as follows: Grand Marshal, T. J. Newell; Chief Aide, George Fitzgerald; Marshal of the First Division, L. C. E. Wenk; Marshal of the Second Division, F. Danke; Marshal of the Third Division, C. D. Rogers.

The Grand Marshal has issued the following:

"The First Division comprises staff, band of music, carriage with Officer of the Day, J. T. Kerns and Orator of the Day, Rabbi Jacob Voorsanger; building Trades' Council in a body; Oakland Bricklayers' Association; Live Oak Lodge of Plasterers; Laborers' Protective Association; and will form on Second street on both sides of Broadway; Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers of America, No. 127; Journeymen Plumbers' and Gas Fitters, Cement Workers Union, who form on Third street west of Broadway.

"The Second Division will comprise staff, band, Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, Local Union No. 36, Local Union No. 191, who form on Third street east of Broadway; Millmen, Local Union No. 550, Shinglers Union, who will form on Fourth street east of Broadway; Lathers' Union, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, who form on Fourth street west of Broadway.

"The Third Division will comprise staff, band, Federated Trades Council in a body and Longshoremen, Local Union, who will form on Fifth street east of Broadway; Barbers' Union, Typographical Union and Laundry Workers, who will form on Fifth street west of Broadway; Retail Clerks' Union, Soda Water Bottlers, Beer Bottlers Union, who will form on Sixth street east of Broadway.

Unions entering the parade not mentioned here will form on Franklin street commencing at Sixth and form in the direction of Second street and enter the parade from Sixth street.

"The line of march will be as follows: On Broadway and Second street to Sixth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to San Pablo avenue, to Seventeenth, to Telegraph avenue, to Broadway, to Seventh, and counter-march on Broadway to Liberty Pole and disperse.

The committees in charge of the celebration of the day will be as follows: Arrangements—F. H. Pratt, chairman; A. Hillman, Wm. J. Bacus, T. J. Newell, J. V. A. Frates. Reception—G. W. Smith, president of Millmen's Union No. 550; A. Lynn, president Plasterers' Union; C. G. Jacobs, president Federated Trades, also member of Carpenters' Union No. 36; Chas. Groff, Painters' Union No. 127; T. Rounds, president of Carpenters' Union No. 191.

Receipts and Prizes—W. E. Scully, chairman; J. Frates, J. P. Burke, M. E. White, J. B. Bowen, J. Kenney, D. C. Crawford, F. H. Pratt, J. H. Allen, J. V. A. Frates.

aGmes—Morris Flynn, A. Arlt, W. Henderson, Thos. De Villiers, Chas. Burwick.

Official Starter in aGmes—J. H. Mullin.

Transportation—T. J. Courtney, E. Barry, L. Lewis.

Floor Manager—Wm. J. Bacus; assistants, George Fitzgerald, Wm. Bradley, Henry Prefontaine, James Rodden.

NEEDHAM IS
RENOMINATED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SAN DIEGO, Aug. 27.—J. C. Needham was renominated by acclamation for Congress at the Republican Congressional Convention of the Seventeenth California District at Coronado Beach today. No other candidate was presented. Resolutions pledging their candidate to work for the completion of the necessary improvements of San Diego harbor and endorsing the administration of President McKinley were adopted unanimously.

TYPHOID FEVER
RAGES IN MANILA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. MANILA, August 27.—The official reports show the past fortnight's scourge to have had insignificant results. Typhoid fever is delaying shipping. The United States transport California, which sailed from San Francisco July 17th, via Honolulu July 27th, for Manila, is now a week overdue.

The families of Commissioners Taft and Wright have arrived here.

Denver's Population

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The population of Denver, Colo., as just announced by the Census Bureau, is 133,859, against 106,713 in 1890. This is an increase of 27,146, or 25.44 per cent.

NO RECOGNITION
FOR ITALY'S KING
Pope Says Must Make
His Peace With the
Vatican.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—A special cable to the Journal from Rome says: "A circular note from the Vatican has been sent to all Catholic governments declaring that the Pope recognizes none of the Papal rights over the Roman provinces and that until Italy recognizes the Holy See, the Pope will recognize the new King only as King of Sardinia."

STORM SWEEPS
MISSOURI TOWN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Sedalia, Mo., says:

A storm bordering closely on a tornado raged here at noon today. Three brick buildings on Main street were blown down, Woods' Opera House was practically unroofed and dozens of smaller buildings damaged.

Thousands of shade trees were broken and torn up by the roots. Street car traffic was suspended and telegraphic and telephone communication was interrupted. There was a terrific fall of rain and the water in some of the streets ran up to the doorsteps of a number of residences. There were but few accidents.

PYTHIANS POUR
INTO DETROIT.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. DETROIT, Aug. 27.—"Camp Pingree," as the Knights of Pythias' military camp is officially designated, was in full swing today, although Major Canrahan did not take charge officially until this evening. Five thousand men slept on the field last night and arrivals were reported all day.

SAN FRANCISCO
SHOOT HIMSELF.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Jonas Dinkelspiel, a member of one of the most wealthy and prominent Jewish families in the South, blew out his brains today in a down town lodging-house. There is no known reason for his act. He was always plentifully supplied with money, but it is said that his dependency upon his family caused him to become despondent.

Young Dinkelspiel's father was a wealthy merchant and grain dealer at Suisun, where the mother still lives. The father died lately and left a considerable fortune. In addition to Henry, a local attorney, Jonas Dinkelspiel has a brother Edward, who is editor of the Solano Republic. Another brother manages the family property.

Dinkelspiel still lives, but the doctors hold out no hope for his recovery.

STRIKE HAS SETTLED
INTO A LONG SIEGE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The census of Baltimore as bulletined by the Census Bureau is 508,587, against 484,430 in 1890. This is an increase of 71,157, or 14.69 per cent.

Forest Fire Out.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. VASINGTON, Aug. 27.—Acting Superintendent Goode of the Yellowstone Park today to the Secretary of the Interior says the forest fire that has been raging in the park has been extinguished. The fire was confined mostly to dead and down timber, and the loss is not known.

Roeder Has Many Flips.

Charles Roeder of 943 Campbell street has had the unfortunate experience of breaking his back by falling from the same place within a few weeks of a short time ago he fell and broke both bones of the arm. The splints were taken off yesterday, but he is unable to get up and the arm again and fractured in the same place. The bones were set at the Receiving Hospital.

Robbers Reported Arrested

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. BURLINGTON, Iowa, Aug. 27.—It is impossible to verify the rumor of the arrest of the two public robbers. Interested parties here say there are no developments.

Died.

HEATON—In this city, August 26, 1900, Warren D. Heaton, a native of Ohio, aged 75 years, 4 months and 4 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral TOMORROW (Tuesday), at 2:30 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, 1235 Webster street, under the auspices of Fountain Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

HEATON—In this city, August 26, 1900, Warren D. Heaton, a native of Ohio, aged 75 years.

KLEIN—In Alameda, August 26, 1900, Mark Klein, a native of France, aged 66 years 6 months and 17 days.

Funeral Notice.

Officers and members are hereby notified to meet at Odd Fellows' Hall, corner Eleventh and Franklin streets, at 2 o'clock P. M. sharp, TUESDAY, August 28, 1900, to attend the funeral of our late Brother W. D. Beaton.

ALFRED LEGAULT, Sec'y.

WANTED—Girl for housework and cooking in a family; \$20. Apply evenings, 124 Eighth st.

COSTLY FIRE
AT RIO VISTA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 27.—A special dispatch to the Bee from Rio Vista states that at a late hour last night the private stable of Joseph Brunning at that place caught fire. The fire rapidly spread to the lumber yards of Sullivan & Larson, destroying two sheds and their piles of lumber, together with the firm's office, and entailing a loss of \$10,000, on which there was \$2,500 insurance.

In addition to the loss of Brunning there was about \$2,000. The cause of the fire is not known.

EXCURSION TRAIN
JUMPS THE TRACK.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 27.—A north-bound excursion train on the Oregon Short Line jumped the track fifteen miles south of Butte last night. Several persons were injured but none were killed. One coach loaded with passengers turned completely over.

New Volunteer Society.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Aug. 27.—The United States Volunteer Association, the membership of which is expected to exceed 200,000, was formed here today, with Colonel Richard Henry Savage of New York, who commanded the Battalion of Engineers in the Cuban campaign, as president. The objects of this association are identical with those of the Spanish war orders. The association will be strictly non-partisan, non-sectarian and non-sectional.

STEVENSON TO
BE ENDORSED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—The National Committee of the United States, for the purpose of nominating a Vice Presidential candidate is running mate for Mr. Bryan, and the forenoon in view of the National Convention in holding conferences of an informal nature.

Anti-conference talk seemed to point to the selection of Mr. Bryan, although Chairman Butler spent much time in explaining why it was unwise, according to his view, to ratify the second place nomination of the Democratic Convention. The formal conference was originally set for 11 o'clock in the morning, but it was decided to postpone it until later in the day.

STRIKE BREWING
IN COAL FIELDS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. HAZLETON, Pa., Aug. 27.—Not an operator was present at today's convention of the United Mine Workers, so no joint conference will be held. The credentials of delegates and counter-credentials of delegates made, and recess taken until afternoon. The first speech was that of Delegate Gallagher, of Plymouth, who said he believed if President Taft and the Executive Board ordered a strike, every miner in the anthracite coal field, whether a member of the United Mine Workers or not, would go out.

President Mitchell said:

"While the operators are not here and while the clouds loom dark, I still have hope of an amicable settlement of existing conditions. I do not regard unnecessary strikes as the true type of unionism."

Baltimore's Growth.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The census of Baltimore as bulletined by the Census Bureau is 508,587, against 484,430 in 1890. This is an increase of 71,157, or 14.69 per cent.

Forest Fire Out.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. VASINGTON, Aug. 27.—Acting Superintendent Goode of the Yellowstone Park today to the Secretary of the Interior says the forest fire that has been raging in the park has been extinguished. The fire was confined mostly to dead and down timber, and the loss is not known.

Roeder Has Many Flips.

Charles Roeder of 943 Campbell street has had the unfortunate experience of breaking his back by falling from the same place within a few weeks of a short time ago he fell and broke both bones of the arm. The splints were taken off yesterday, but he is unable to get up and the arm again and fractured in the same place. The bones were set at the Receiving Hospital.

Robbers Reported Arrested

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. BURLINGTON, Iowa, Aug. 27.—It is impossible to verify the rumor of the arrest of the two public robbers. Interested parties here say there are no developments.

Died.

HEATON—In this city, August 26, 1900, Warren D. Heaton, a native of Ohio, aged 75 years, 4 months and 4 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral TOMORROW (Tuesday), at 2:30 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, 1235 Webster street, under the auspices of Fountain Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

HEATON—In this city, August 26, 1900, Warren D. Heaton, a native of Ohio, aged 75 years.

KLEIN—In Alameda, August 26, 1900, Mark Klein, a native of France, aged 66 years 6 months and 17 days.

Funeral Notice.

Officers and members are hereby notified to meet at Odd Fellows' Hall, corner Eleventh and Franklin streets, at 2 o'clock P. M. sharp, TUESDAY, August 28, 1900, to attend the funeral of our late Brother W. D. Beaton.

ALFRED LEGAULT, Sec'y.

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BLOODY DEED IN
NEW YORK HOTEL

Merchant Is Shot By a
Salesman Who Takes
His Own Life.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—H. J. Stridiron, a lumber merchant, was probably fatally shot at the Hotel Vendome today by a man who registered as H. J. Ford from Boston. Ford then committed suicide by blowing out his brains.

Stridiron registered at the hotel on Friday. Ford had been in the hotel for several days, but did not register until Stridiron arrived. The men breakfasted together today and then went out. They returned and went to Stridiron's room, and shots were heard immediately afterward.

Stridiron was taken to the hospital in a critical condition. He had registered from Boston. Stridiron gave his own residence as Chicago.

Stridiron stated the man's right name was Seffon, a salesman from Chicago. Seffon told Stridiron Sunday afternoon that he attempted to commit suicide, but had been stopped.

Montgomery at New York.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The cruiser Montgomery arrived here today. The Montgomery was detached from Admiral Schley's command and sent home. She sailed from St. Thomas, D. W. I., Aug. 21st.

Our Coal on Sale in London.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—On the Coal Exchange today American coal was offered for sale, but it did not affect prices. Probably no serious competition is apprehended.

Rhea Renominated.

BOWLING GREEN, Aug. 27.—Representative John S. Rhea was renominated by the Democrats for the Third Congressional District today.

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Amusements.

Macdonough—"40."
Dewey—"The Two Orphans."
Tivoli—"The Masked Ball."
Alcazar—"From the East."
Orpheum—"Vandeville."
Grand Opera House—"The Silver King."
Columbia—"The Only Way."

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.
September 2. San Francisco Schuetzen Verein. Captain John Thode.
September 3. St. Rose's Parish of San Francisco.

MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 1900.

The Democratic force can be appropriately named "Too Much Bryan."

Sailor Sharkey seems to be a sort of Chinese boxer when it comes to real fighting.

If you want to know what's the matter with Hanna just wait till November and see what happened to Jones.

The objections to the way Mr. Huntington disposed of his estate appear to come chiefly from those who objected to his having any estate.

A new proof of the late C. P. Huntington's hardness of heart is discovered in the fact that he willed his property to relatives and did not give it away to strangers.

The census makes St. Louis look like a had twenty-cent piece beside Chicago. The latter increased its inhabitants during the last decade more than the total population of the Missouri town.

The Bryan campaign managers will read the news that William C. Whitney paid \$50,000 for a picture with the regretful reflection that he has not a cent to give to the Democratic campaign fund.

"A vote for Bryan is a vote for hard times" is the way the Jersey City Journal puts it. That's the issue all right, and when presented in such a plain, straightforward manner it cuts the ground right from under the Nebraska.

The Paris Exposition is to close November 27th, the directors saying that it must be over before the winter sets in. Judging by the reports of the poor attendances nowadays the early frosts that are in evidence are clearly giving cold feet to those financing the show.

So much salt has to be taken with all news served up from China that it is no use getting excited just yet about the report that Russia, Germany and Japan have formed a coalition to war against the Empire and have invited England and the United States to leave. Should it prove true, however, that long-talked-of Anglo-American alliance will be cemented in a hurry and then instead of going Uncle Sam and John Bull will show the open door to the others and teach them how to walk Spanish so as to make their departure more impressive.

THE NEW APPORTIONMENT.

The unofficial census returns indicate that the region west of the Missouri river will hardly do more than hold its own under the new Congressional apportionment. In all probability Kansas and Nebraska will each lose a Congress-man, Colorado and Washington are practically certain to gain one each. That will make the count even. No other State in the trans-Missouri group is likely to gain sufficient population to offset the increase in the numerical basis of representation save Washington.

It is generally accepted that the basis for the new apportionment will be in the neighborhood of 200,000. Fractions of 125,000 or over would give an additional representative on this basis. The population of California can hardly exceed 1,500,000. But for the Klondike and Cape Nome excitements it would have been at least 25,000 more. It may prove that the Alaskan gold discoveries have deprived California of a Congress-man for ten years to come. Neither Oregon nor Utah is likely to gain additional representation, consequently the total gain for the Pacific Coast will be one representative from Washington.

The present basis of representation is 173,000, which gives a total representation of 357 in the Lower House. It is estimated, with the incomplete returns at hand, that a basis of 200,000 will give a total representation of about 380, an increase of 23. Missouri and Arkansas will gain one each, and Texas two, perhaps three. Virginia will lose one and West Virginia gain one. There will be little if any other change in the South.

Taking this calculation as correct there will be seventeen or eighteen new members to be distributed among the States east of the Missouri and north of the Ohio. There is a bare possibility that Massachusetts may increase her representation by one, but this is the only hope New England has of getting another. Thus it appears that the entire increase of power in Congress and the Electoral College will be confined to the South, the Middle West and the Middle States.

What States will get the increase? New York will gain one and possibly two, New Jersey one and perhaps two, Pennsylvania may get one, Ohio, Indiana, Iowa, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin are all reasonably certain of increases. Politically the advantage will rest with the Republicans, as all the increases except the four or five in the South will be in sure Republican or doubtful States. The net result, geographically speaking, will be to give greater power to the Middle West and to relatively weaken New England. In future there will be a still greater tendency to make the Upper Mississippi the political battleground. Already both parties have found it expedient to maintain headquarters in Chicago.

MODERN IMPROVEMENT IN JERUSALEM.

A correspondent of a Chicago paper, writing from Jerusalem, talks with considerable enthusiasm about the way the Holy City is being "improved." He writes with the true Chicago spirit, and reading his breezy comments on the way "the old town is being brushed up by the spirit of progress" somehow impresses one with the idea that the City of David is located somewhere on the shores of Lake Michigan. The public will be delighted to learn from this interesting writer that Jerusalem is having "quite a boom since the completion of the railway from Jaffa." It is also pleasing to know that it is getting to be "a decent place to live in." Doubtless this son of Chicago thinks Jerusalem has been sleeping on its opportunities heretofore, for he naively remarks that it is getting to be a "great resort" for tourists. Swarms of them are coming in, he says, and the city is getting into shape to accommodate them.

There are now telegraph and telephone lines and electric lights in the city, we are told, and modern hotels with elevators, gas, and diamond-pinned clerks. A scheme is on foot to build a trolley system to the various points of interest. Among the other accessories of a "live town" there are beer halls and soda fountains. With a touch of pardonable pride the correspondent relates that Milwaukee beer is on sale, and his keen eye noted that in the vacant lots around Zion there were numerous empty cans bearing the Chicago trademark and labeled "deviled ham," "pork and beans," etc. He was able to buy sausage, sauer kraut and pretzels in the sacred precincts. He found the place lacking in many particulars of what he thought it needed, but was happy to discern that enterprising people were settling there and that it would soon be a city of modern conveniences.

Now, what effect is all this going to have on the Christian world? It may seem absurd to ask this question, but it is a serious inquiry, notwithstanding. Jerusalem and Palestine have had a wonderful hold on the Christian imagination for eighteen centuries, and this glamor was heightened by its seclusion from the routes of travel and the Abrahamic simplicity and primitive manners and customs of life there. All the world had moved, but the Holy Land remained what it was two thousand years save that it had been desolated and was ruled by the infidel. Its misfortunes and poverty endeared it to the Christian heart. The clinging of its inhabitants to ancient ways gave it perennial interest to scholars and Bible students. Until recently its visitors were mainly pilgrims to the ruined shrines and desecrated holy places. The commercial traveler and the ordinary globe trotter came not here. Therefore Palestine remained an enchanted land. Zion had given the Law and the Gospel to civilization, but the giving left the remnant of her people in sackcloth amid the broken high places. The illegitimate children of the strange woman entered into possession, but they left the land as it was when Sara scourged Hagar back to the desert. Journeys were still made on the ass, goatskin bottles held the wine, and robbers infested the way to Jericho. In the fields the parable of the Sower was repeated each season, and in the evening the people gathered on the housetops just as the custom was described in sacred history.

At last the world's change has penetrated the region consecrated by the blood of Christ, and the old manners and the old customs are fast giving place to the modern spirit of commercialism and improvement. Will the Mount of the Sermon hold its hallowed association when one rides to it on a trolley car? The Garden of Gethsemane will appear but a poor place if seen from the top of an omnibus. The streets trod by the feet of Christ will lose their tragic interest when lighted by gas and electricity. The profanation of the infidel spoiler did not destroy the sacred character of Palestine, but the appurtenances and accessories of modern civilization brought in by the rush of cheap travel cannot fail to deaden the feelings which associate the region round about Jerusalem with the memory of Jesus and will certainly weaken the tender ties which bind this broken land to the Christian heart. The more people visit the Holy Land the less it becomes the Holy Land.

ARE WE ADVANCING?

Latter day civilization has never had such an opportunity to ask itself the question of whether or not we are advancing in the lines of thought and social progress as is afforded by the latest discoveries of Professor Hilprecht in ancient Babylon. Since he began his investigations twelve years ago he has given to the world some wonderful evidences of the culture, refinement and mental prowess of races that, from our standpoint of knowledge, stood upon the very threshold of the world's history, and his recent discoveries in the ancient city of Nippur complete the mantle of romance that is woven round the nations that flourished in the era of antiquity.

Although there had been many previous evidences of the existence of a people of trained minds and splendid intelligence, it remained for Nippur to furnish proof positive of the high standard attained. The city was evidently one of the most important commercial centers of the early world, being second only to Babylon itself in size, importance and civilization. The date of its founding is unknown, but that that time must have been close upon what we have been accustomed to consider the epoch of the world's creation is shown by the fact that when discovered by Professor Hilprecht it was absolutely buried beneath deposits of earth and rubbish, excavation to a considerable depth being necessary in order to lay bare the streets, temples and business places.

A wonderful condition of affairs was then shown. There were banks, exchanges, theaters, public baths, handsome residences of wondrous architectural perfection, massive temples, splendidly built streets, and in fact evidences of more refinement than are contained in the cities of modern times. It is in an examination of the literature and manuscripts unearthed, however, that the greatest surprise comes. Mental excellence, the peer of anything existing today, is manifested in philosophical productions of these ancient sages, while the commercial records show a wondrous linking between the business methods of those times and those in vogue today. Contracts, mortgages, indentures, promissory notes, leases, insurance policies and so forth existed then in practically the same forms as now, while real estate agents and money brokers held forth in the down town districts.

With all these proofs of a civilization and refinement five thousand years ago that was fully as high if not of a higher caliber than we possess today, sociological students can well ask themselves the oft put question, is mankind really advancing at the rate we think? As compared with one thousand years ago it undoubtedly is, but when these archaeological developments show us a world fully as civilized and refined as our own, does it not look as if we are simply traveling in one of the circles of eternity and are but reaching again a goal from which we departed thousands of years ago?

Ex-Senator Steve White objects very strongly to the efforts of the Los Angeles Democrats to get him to run for Congress in the Sixth District against McLachlan. After having served a term in the Senate, to be now consigned to a seat in the lower House would not savor much of climbing the ladder of success, but rather of going down on the other side.

The Woodland Mail has this kindly mention: "We see the veteran Republicans of Oakland have passed resolutions commending the course of THE TRIBUNE in making Mr. McCall's fight in that county. Too much praise cannot be accorded this excellent paper for the dignified and gallant fight it made, and the Mail joins in sounding its praise."

WIRT PROTESTS HIS INNOCENCE.

Oakland Women Make Charges Against the Minister.

Rev. Loyal W. Wirt has finally come out with a statement of his transactions in connection with the hospital at Nome. He denies all and severely the charges made against him and asserts that he is the victim of spite work. He claims that his accounts are as straight as a string and that his system of book-keeping could not be excelled by a bank.

Right on top of the reverend gentleman's protestation that he is an injured innocent comes a letter from a couple of young women who went to Nome, so they say, at Mr. Wirt's suggestion, to teach the Government school. They are Miss Cora Young, cousin of Mrs. W. E. Sharon, and Miss Maury. Both of them are well known in Oakland. They have endured all sorts of hardships since they reached Nome, and claim that Rev. Wirt is responsible for their troubles. He represented, they say, that they would have a salary of a thousand dollars a year, beginning in July, and that shortly after their arrival their first month's salary would be paid. Government quarters were to have been provided for them, and in case of sickness they were promised the benefit of the hospital then being established at Nome. Their difficulties began as soon as they reached Nome.

Within twenty-four hours of their arrival, they say, the Rev. Loyal Wirt found it expedient to leave Nome. Miss Young and Miss Maury made no preparations for their arrival, and nobody knew anything about a Government school.

They found they would have no Government protection, and that they would have no right whatever to any special consideration in the hospital. The Rev. Mr. Wirt was on his way home, and the ladies were left in Nome to shift for themselves as best they could. Miss Young writes that popular sentiment is very strong in Nome against Mr. Wirt.

PERSONAL

Miss Jennie Jordan has gone to Santa Cruz.
Dr. E. H. Woolsey is en route from St. Louis, having reached New York last week.
Mrs. J. C. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stone will leave New York for home this week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Haswell have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coffey of the Washington State University.
The Unity Club will hold a social evening at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Street on Friday next.
Dr. L. R. Webster has come back from a three weeks' outing at Highland Springs.
Mr. W. Delaney leaves today for Harbin Springs.

DEATH OF AN OAKLAND CAPITALIST AND PIONEER

Warren D. Hester died at his residence, 1225 Webster street last night after an illness of only a few hours. On Friday he returned from a month's vacation near Sisson and was apparently greatly improved in health. Saturday he took an active part in the preliminary and spent the day about the polls.
Sunday morning he suffered a serious attack of heart failure and Dr. L. S. Burdard the family physician was called at once but all effort to stimulate the heart failed, and he grew constantly weaker until his death.
Mr. Hester was one of the best known residents of the city, always taking an active interest in public affairs. He was 75 years of age and a native of Ohio. He arrived in California in 1862, coming around the Horn. On his arrival in California he went at once to Placer county, where he engaged in mining and later went into the lumber business, making money in both ventures. In 1876 he came to Oakland, where he has since resided, and for twenty-five years he has been engaged in buying and selling real estate. He leaves no family except a step-daughter, Mrs. A. M. Lee, his wife having died about a year ago.

Big Realty Transfer.
A deed was recorded Saturday by which W. J. Landers and wife convey to the California Nursery Company 453.38 acres of land near Niles. The consideration named is nominal, but from the revenue stamps attached to the document it is figured that about \$32,600 changed hands.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.
Opposing candidates are naturally conflicting dates.
Lots of people complain from a mere habit of complaining.
There's a good bit off the top in the first row at the burlesque.

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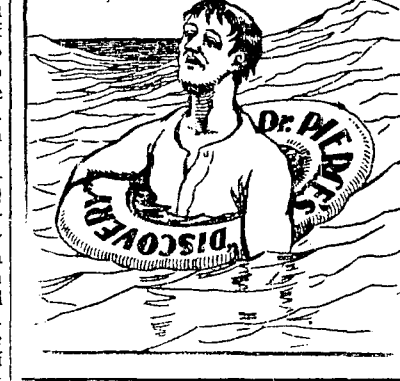
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Many a man who imagines he could successfully manage the affairs of a nation wouldn't even make a first-class book agent—Chicago News.

NOTED CLERGYMAN GOES TO HIS REST.

Associated Press Despatches by The Tribune's Special Licensed Wire.
BALTIMORE, AUG. 27.—Information has been received here of the death at Camp Royal Wesley, Thousand Islands, of Rev. Dr. Roy H. Pullman, of this city, brother of the late George M. Pullman, the famous car maker, and of the Rev. James M. Pullman of Chicago.
Last week Dr. Pullman was stricken with paralysis and it soon became evident that he could not recover. The body will be brought to Baltimore for burial. Dr. Pullman was 71 years of age.
Dr. Pullman was born at Auburn, N. Y., being the eldest of a family of ten children. He studied theology and in 1853 entered the home mission field of the United States. In the following year he was ordained a full minister and labored in northern New York with much success. He built two churches, and occupied the pulpit of the Universalist Church at Portia, Ill., from 1875 to 1882, building the finest house of worship in town during his pastorate, and then took the post of general secretary of the Universalist general convention. He displayed great activity and industry, and held religious meetings in various parts of the country.
In 1887 Dr. Pullman was called to the Second Universalist Church in this city, where he attracted no less attention than he had done in other fields.
Since 1887 he had lived in retirement, being elected pastor emeritus and giving the denomination special services as his physical strength permitted. His last illness was the result of a hemorrhage of the brain, which was complicated by pneumonia.

Appomattox Corps Social.

Appomattox Relief Corps, W. R. C., will give a sundown social at Loring Hall on Broadway street Thursday afternoon, August 30th, from 2 to 4 o'clock. The Rev. William Shaw, pastor of the Church of the Advent, will deliver an address. There will be appropriate musical selections.

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BROWN REPLIES TO CITY CLERK.

More Literature in the Alameda Charter Fight.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 27.—In a letter to the local papers based upon the statements printed last week over the signature of the hero of the Craven-Pair litigation, Brainard C. Brown says in part:

"Mr. Lambert's statements that under the proposed charter the Mayor has the power of suspension of officers is not borne out by the fact. He has no power of suspension, whether of an elective or an appointive officer. He may not even suspend his own appointees. There is one contingency, and one only wherein he may remove them. That contingency is that in case a salaried appointee is guilty of participation in politics, and the board refuses to remove him, the Mayor may remove the members of the board who so refuse. In all other cases the Mayor must prefer written charges against the offending officer, and the accused shall have the right of trial; the City Council alone can find him guilty.

"The freeholders have not adopted the ward system. On the contrary, they avoided that error. Nominations of six out of seven Councilmen are to be made from the six wards. But the election is not to be by wards. Each Councilman shall be elected by the voters at large.

"Referring to where he explains how, when his office is made appointive, he will be compelled to spend a sufficient amount of money to elect a majority of the Board of Trustees, instead of spending the money to elect himself, I have to say it is conceivable that in making the office of City Clerk appointive the freeholders did not suppose that they could prevent Mr. Lamborn from pursuing the same methods he has pursued in the past. It is conceivable that they were aware of the large amount of money that he has at his command for the purchase of political favor. It is just possible that their aim was to compel him to attend to the duties of his office and to prevent him from spending his time elsewhere. Elected by the people, he can snap his fingers at the board. Appointed by the board, he would be subject to their direction and to that of the Mayor, and could be removed by the board.

"It is possible that the freeholders had him in mind when they forbid any salaried appointee to take an active part in politics.

"There is one point which it is certain they made in fixing his salary at the present figure; they made it impossible for him to get a raise by money distributed among the board, who, according to his calculations, are to be his creatures. Under the new charter that increase cannot be granted except by a three-fifths vote of the people."

Alameda Church Services.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 27.—Rev. E. P. Dennett at the Methodist church yesterday preached upon "The Unspoken Messages of Christ." At the First Congregational church Rev. W. W. Scudder chose "The Race Problems Before American Christianity" as his subject. Rev. Fulton's text at the Unitarian church was "The Unpardonable Sin." Rev. T. J. Lacey spoke in the evening at Christ church upon "The Resurrection of the Body." Rev. Thomas Baldwin's subject at the First Baptist church was "Aaron's Ordination to the Priest-

hood." At the South Methodist church Rev. Wooten of Oakland preached, and in the evening Rev. G. R. Dodson spoke of "Human Interest in the World" at the Unitarian.

Paid Judge Morris.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 27.—Judge Morris on Saturday fined J. M. Davis of Oakland, who was in trouble for abusing his horse, \$5, and Frank Norfleet \$6 for his share in Thursday's Daktown scrap.

Spoke of Home and Child.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 27.—Mrs. H. A. Harlan, president of the San Francisco Child Study Club; Miss Grace Barnard, superintendent of the Federation of Oakland Kindergartens; Mrs. M. L. O'Neal and Miss Sarah Gordon of the School Mothers' Club of San Francisco; Charles C. Hughes, superintendent of schools of Alameda, and A. H. Suzzallo, principal of the Longfellow school, spoke before the Home and Child Study Association of California last week at the Unitarian church parlors. In addition to the above talks Mrs. E. G. Greene, the president of the Child Study Association, argued in favor of home aid and co-operation with teachers.

Alameda Personals.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 27.—C. B. Russell is at San Rafael.

Miss Cole, now of San Jose, is visiting Mrs. Dan Quill of High street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Willis have removed to Berkeley.

W. D. Arthur has returned to Chicago.

Miss Jennie Palmer is visiting in Grass Valley.

Unitarian Club Thursday.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 27.—The "ladies' night" at the Unitarian Club will be held on Thursday night instead of on Wednesday, as erroneously reported in the morning papers today. Rev. E. R. Dille of Oakland will lecture on Hawaii, accompanying his talk with stereopticon views. The Royal Hawaiian Quintette will furnish the musical part of the program.

Death of Mark Klein.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 27.—Mark Klein, who was formerly a jeweler in San Francisco, but had retired from business, died at his home on St. Charles street yesterday morning of pneumonia. He leaves a widow and one son, Lucien W., and two daughters, Mrs. F. Ephraim and Mrs. Leon Levy. The funeral takes place today, with cremation at the Odd Fellows' crematory in San Francisco.

Berkeley Brevities.

BERKELEY, Aug. 27.—The Jewish Society of Oakland took charge of the burial of Morris Myer, the Russian Jew who was found dead on Friday. The funeral was held this morning.

The State Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind has reopened with 225 pupils, of whom 12 are newly entered.

PLAYS FOR THE PEOPLE TONIGHT.

At the Dewey Theater, tonight, "The Two Orphans" will be presented on a magnificent scale. This play is as strong as "Quo Vadis" and "The Sign of the Cross" and is one of the best that the Dewey has ever produced. Several new people have been speaking, engaged for this place and the beautiful play will be vividly interpreted. De Witt Clinton will take the part of the Chevalier, Miss Fanny Elliott will play Henriette, the orphan, Pierre will be represented by Landers Stevens; Jacques will be played by J. J. Williams and Edna Elmers will interpret the part of Louise. The piece will run all this week.

THE MACDONOUGH.

The Oakland Stock Company, with Miss Maud Miller as leading lady, is to present Joaquin Miller's famous comedy-drama "The Macdonough" at the Macdonough Theater this week. The play is delightfully interesting and tells the story of the life of Joaquin Miller during the early '90s. The play is replete with dramatic incidents and yet there is often present that dry humor for which Poet Miller is famous. It was originally written for McKee Rankin. Later, Miss Miller starred throughout the Eastern cities in it. The management of the Macdonough Theater offers a strong combination this week. Clifford Dempsey is to reappear in the cast. There will also be E. J. Holden and Charles A. King, besides the other members of the cast.

Miss Maggie Moore has signed with the Oakland Stock Company. She will make her first appearance with the company, September 3rd in "Tribly O'Farrell."

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Charles Homer Boone, San Leandro, 21
Pat Baldwin, San Leandro, 21
Olin Benjamin Conforti, Alameda, 25
Adda Elizabeth Horton, Hayward, 19
John Robert Nugent, S. F., 28
Mary Killen, S. F., 28
Henry William McKaye, S. F., 28
Lena Neimann, Alameda, 25
John Williams McMenomy, Oakland, 26
Emma Taylor, San Francisco, 19
Ernest Willard Orelina, S. F., 35
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Margaret Scanlin, S. F., 25
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DEATH MAY FOLLOW FALL.

Ned Parker Fractures Skull in Peculiar Manner.

Ned Parker, an employe of Rouse & Co., fell from a wagon at Nineteenth and Franklin streets this morning and sustained injuries which may prove fatal. There are different statements as to the cause of the accident. Some assert that the young man fell after alighting from the wagon and that the wheels passed over his head. Another statement, and the one which the doctors believe most probable, is that in jumping from the wagon his feet became entangled in the lines and he was thrown headlong to the pavement.

He was picked up by some parties who witnessed the accident and was conveyed in the patrol wagon to the Receiving Hospital. He was delirious and could give no coherent account of the accident.

Doctors Ewer and Rowe examined him and expressed the belief that he had sustained a fracture of the skull at the base of the brain.

RESULT OF THE PRIMARY.

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there will be no contest before the convention. The delegates elected are: FORTY-NINTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.

Frank K. Mott, Geo. W. Reed, J. C. Dunne, P. Lynch, E. A. Young, O. Lieberman, D. R. Wentworth, Thomas Dowd, Walter Gaskin, A. V. Long, W. H. Blood, W. F. Kroll, Geo. Feige, J. Crossman, J. McPherson, John Manrow, G. D. Maloney, J. S. Wixon, Philip Sheridan, F. R. Cough, H. S. Bradford, J. M. Page, H. B. Shindler, J. J. Burke, Wm. Fieldwick, B. Hamilton, C. H. Nor, H. D. Irwin, J. M. Morrison, Percy Black, J. A. Kennedy, M. J. Silva, J. G. Quinn, R. H. Trenouth.

FIFTIETH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
J. P. Taylor, John Russ, H. M. Sanborn, James Cahill, David Tisch, James Creeley, Rudy A. Marshall, C. E. Snook, Abe P. Leach, Felton Taylor, George Meredith, F. M. Hathaway, Henry Mohr, Herman Harist, Chester Gibbins, Mark A. Thomas.

FIFTY-FIRST ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
Byron Davenport, A. D. Colby, A. McAdam, Frank Galvarino, H. Lindemann, L. F. McNally, G. H. Graves, H. N. Branthaver, G. C. Frame.

STATE CONVENTION.

The following delegates were elected to the State Convention to be held at Santa Cruz on September 5th: FORTY-SIXTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.

F. R. Fassett, Reuben Hower, Martin Donohue, Charles Prosser, H. J. Tilden, F. Sandholt, J. H. Whitfield.

FORTY-SEVENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
A. R. Hamlin, Samuel Frank, Hervey Darnell, E. K. Taylor, David Hirschfeld, J. N. Young, J. Seebek, J. B. Barber, B. F. Feinman, A. Lorsch, A. Rogers, L. C. Morehouse, A. J. Santos, E. H. Clawker.

FORTY-EIGHTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
M. D. Merritt, Giles H. Gray, Rod W. Church, Chas. W. Loose, J. E. Beaudry, Frank Malley.

FORTY-NINTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
A. A. McKee, Robert Yates, John Trotter, W. Cruise, P. Remond, W. W. Morrison, J. W. Mott, C. A. Klinkner.

FIFTIETH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
George Meredith, George Randolph, A. H. Reed, J. A. Bliss, Mark A. Thomas, A. P. Leach, Mortimer Smith, Clarence Crowell.

FIFTY-FIRST ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
A. K. Grim, Thomas Rickard, W. D. Wooster, Henry T. Cripps, J. M. Pedrin, Bernard McDermott, A. C. Henry, A. S. MacDonald, Dr. J. M. Kane, P. H. Auson, C. C. Lombard, H. N. Morse.

JAIL DELIVERY IN MONTANA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Licensed Wire. RED LODGE, Mont., Aug. 27.—A wholesale jail delivery occurred here Sunday morning. Parties outside the jail pried a window bar and opened the cells with skeleton keys. Frank Woodstock, an alleged horse thief; Dick Johnson, a half breed who stabbed a white man at Joliet last week; Tinkler, an alleged forger, and John Wilburn, alias Walden, wanted at Clayton, N. M., for cattle stealing and jail breaking, escaped. It is supposed the four men have gone into Wyoming to join the "Hole in the Wall" gang of desperadoes. This is the third time the jail has been opened from the outside within two years.

NO SOLDIERS NOW IN AKRON.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Licensed Wire. AKRON, Ohio, Aug. 27.—As a result of the peaceful conditions existing in this city all the State troops were withdrawn early today. With the dismissal of the soldiers the saloons were re-opened and the city has practically resumed its usual appearance.

SUPERVISORS IN SESSION.

Some Figures From the State Board of Equalization.

Various Routine Matters are Brought Up Before the Board.

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors this morning all the members were present. Applications for relief were disposed of as follows: Mrs. Hagwald, Railroad Avenue and Station street, four children, referred to Supervisor Church; Joseph F. Quinn, Ninth street and Dwight way, Berkeley, referred to the Hospital Committee.

The requisition of Sheriff Rogers for a directory of Alameda county was granted.

The matter of the ownership of a water wagon in Pleasanton as between that town and the county of Alameda was referred to Supervisor Wells. Mr. Wells stated that the wagon had been in use ten years, that the barrel was about going to pieces and that one of the wheels was broken down. At the same time he desired to have the question as to the ownership of the vehicle settled.

E. J. Murray, a prisoner in the County Jail, was granted five days' remission of sentence for good conduct. The application for a liquor license by John C. Bonde of Dougherty Station and F. B. Granger of Alvarado was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The bond of Julian Roma and others in the sum of fifty dollars, in the matter of the abandonment of a portion of County Road No. 3013 was filed and September 4th was set for hearing the application.

Plans and specifications for the macadamizing of a road between San Leandro and Mt. Eden were adopted and bids for the doing of the work were ordered advertised for.

Bids were also asked for the macadamizing of the road between San Lorenzo and Mt. Eden. The estimated cost by the County laid out of the work was \$1,800.

The State Board of Equalization sent in a series of equalization certificates of valuation of railroad property in this county, as follows: Southern Pacific Railroad, franchise, roadway and rolling stock in the aggregate, \$1,000,000; mileage in the State, 36.15; in Alameda county, 51.46; assessed value per mile, \$15,000; total assessed value, \$773,100. Alameda and San Joaquin Railroad Company, total assessment for roadway and rolling stock, \$1,650; mileage in the State, 25.83; in Alameda county, 2.79; assessed value per mile, \$18,000; total assessed value, \$30,600. Central Pacific Railroad Company, aggregate value, \$13,000,000; mileage in the State, 74.76; in the county, 32.14; valuation per mile, \$17,468.25; assessed value, \$561,346. Southern Pacific Railroad Company, aggregate valuation, \$2,283,305; mileage in the State, 2.92; in Alameda county, 1.90; valuation per mile, \$19,395; apporportionment of valuation to Alameda county, \$36,850; valuation per mile, \$19,395; Road, aggregate valuation, \$50,000; mileage in the State, 23; in Alameda county, 5.50; assessed value per mile in the State, \$13,713; apporportionment to Alameda county, \$1,667.

The communication was filed. At the suggestion of Supervisor Church the Board decided to meet Friday next in Committee on Wholes to consider the county tax-rate.

The report of the viewers of the county road, \$250,000, was received. G. W. Butner was read and filed. Its consideration will take place next Tuesday. The matter of procuring election supplies was voted for one week.

On motion of Supervisor Church it was decided to re-carpet and re-decorate the office of the Sheriff and to re-carpet the office of the County Clerk.

Frank J. Zepp requested in a communication that his name be withdrawn from a petition for a saloon license in Fruitvale. The communication was filed.

Dr. Jump resigned as Health Officer in Eden township and the resignation was accepted. Mr. Talcott said that there was no longer any necessity for the position as the cases of small-pox which the doctor was expected to control were vanishing.

The question of a franchise for the Yuba Electric Company was continued for a week.

John A. Roy was appointed Poundmaster of Kimbrough on motion of Supervisor Church. He was instructed to file his bond immediately.

The District Attorney was instructed to defend the county in the case in which the Union Savings Bank is plaintiff. Supervisor Reeth brought up the question of repairing the Bay Farm Island bridge.

Mr. Talcott said that it was a question as to whether the government did not want to have a water way there.

Mr. Reeth said it was extremely desirable to know whether or not there was to be a drawbridge there.

Mr. Talcott said he did not see how there would be a self-financing canal without a dam of some kind. But it would be better to ascertain what the Government shed to do in the matter before anything was done with the bridge.

Messrs. Reeth and Talcott were appointed special committees to look into the matter.

The Board adjourned until next Friday morning.

FITZ WANTS TO FIGHT AT ONCE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Bob Fitzsimmons, who is to meet W. A. Brady, Jeffries, manager, this afternoon, to arrange for a contest for the heavy-weight championship, said that he would agree to meet Jeffries in Madison Square Garden on August 31st on any basis agreeable to Jeffries.

He said he wanted a fight before September 1st or not at all. He said he wished to retire from the ring and open a training school in Chicago. Out of consideration for his children, he said, he does not care to remain in the ring or open a saloon.

Robert Fitzsimmons and William A. Brady, manager for James J. Jeffries, met this afternoon to arrange a match between the two men. Fitzsimmons said he was in good condition and wished to fight next Friday night, and Brady replied that Jeffries was not in trim for a fight and could not prepare himself in the few days intervening. The men separated without coming to an agreement except that there would be no contest on August 31st.

PROTECTING THE GAME AND FISH OF THE COUNTY.

Alleged Dereliction of the County Game Warden.

Supervisors Will Inquire Into Charges of State Board.

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors this morning charges of alleged dereliction of duty were introduced against County Game Warden Dunneby by the County Game Board of Fish Commissioners. After the reading of the document the matter was continued until Tuesday next. The Clerk was notified to request the State Board of Fish Commissioners to be present to speak in his own behalf.

The communication was as follows: "Office of the California State Board of Fish Commissioners, San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 25, 1900. To the Hon. Board of Supervisors, Alameda County, California: Gentlemen: Owing to the numerous and continued complaints we are in receipt of relative to the infraction of the game laws in your county, we deem it incumbent upon us to inform you that this flagrant violation is accountable for by the utter neglect of your County Game Warden of his duties.

"The State Legislature in giving the Board of Fish Commissioners jurisdiction over all the fish and game interests of the State has not provided for an appropriation at all commensurate to the demand for the protection of game, but in its wisdom has authorized the various counties to appoint and maintain a County Game Warden, on whom this Board is compelled to rely for the policing of their respective counties. In every county where a Game Warden has been appointed, with the exception of Alameda county, the laws are being obeyed to an extent that is gratifying and conducive to the value and importance of the office of Game Warden, while in Alameda the laws are being almost openly defied.

This Board is in a position to demand information of the violation of the law that a local Warden does not often obtain, and this information with any necessary assistance or suggestion for the successful arrest and conviction of a guilty party is always furnished the Game Warden of the county where the offense transpires, exceptive Alameda county, the inability of which in that county our records will show.

"Every County Game Warden in the State, excepting the Warden of Alameda county, holds a deputyship of the State issued by this Board, as it increases his powers and in many ways affords him assistance in the performance of his duties. The appointment as Deputy Fish Commissioner of W. S. Dunneby was revoked by the Board of Fish Commissioners in April, 1900, and his badge of office taken from him for flagrant neglect of duty, an action without precedent in the annals of this Board.

"The sentiment in favor of the protection of fish and game throughout the State is now most unanimous, and the public spirit of citizens of Alameda county are certainly entitled to the protection of their game that the payment of \$1500 per annum would warrant.

"We beg to assure your honorable body that in laying this matter before you we are not prompted by any personal feeling towards the incumbent, who is unknown to any member of the Board of Fish Commissioners, but wholly through our desire to have the office of Game Warden filled by a competent and efficient man, who will devote his time and energies to the fulfillment of the duties of his important office, that the fish and game interests may receive adequate protection and the taxpayers receive full value.

"We respectfully submit that an examination of the Game Warden's monthly statement of your honorable body must substantiate our position, and we believe that your attention having been thus specifically called to this existing abuse, a prompt remedy will be at once applied.

"All of which is respectfully submitted. Board of Fish Commissioners of California.

JOHN P. BABCOCK, "Chief Deputy."

CHINESE ARE ADVANCING TO TAKE PEKING.

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on it after mature consideration, taking the ground that in the absence of any advice showing a selfish purpose on the part of the Japanese, it must be assumed that their landing was in the common cause of all Europeans and Americans.

It is not doubted that any American commander would have landed troops at Amoy if rioting appeared to endanger foreign property and lives and no other foreign warships were available.

Steps will be taken at once to learn the facts in the case, and one of our naval commanders will be called upon to make inquiries and report at once.

The United States Government has not invited any government to participate in a conference with the purpose of arranging the future of China. Nor has it received any such invitation from any other government. There is a very manifest desire on the part of the European governments to get some expression from the United States Government as to its purpose before committing themselves. It is believed our answers have been framed with the special purpose of avoiding a commitment of the Gov-

ernment as to its policy beyond the points specifically laid down in the President's response to Emperor Kwang Hsu's first appeal, and the answer to Li Hung Chang's appeal for mediation. However, this may be, the State Department does not regard it as expedient at this moment to make public the latest phases of the negotiations, so it is impossible to know from this side whether or not they have touched upon propositions to divide China into spheres for military occupation and to provide a temporary government at Peking, or to endeavor to re-establish relations with the existing dynasty in China, though it may be assumed nothing has been said on this subject.

and after a short march through the downtown streets, started to march at Jackson Boulevard, passed on south under the beautiful archway at Van Ness street, through the court of honor and under the archway at Michigan avenue and Hubbard Court, where it passed in review before Commander-in-Chief Shaw of the G. A. R., acting Governor, national commander of the Navy, Governor Tanner, Commander of the Navy, Major Harrison, Commander Jones of the Sons of Veterans and Commander Atwell of the ex-Frisers of War.

Proceeding the naval parade the big naval arch, erected at Michigan avenue and Hubbard Court, passed on south under the beautiful archway at Van Ness street, through the court of honor and under the archway at Michigan avenue and Hubbard Court, where it passed in review before Commander-in-Chief Shaw of the G. A. R., acting Governor, national commander of the Navy, Governor Tanner, Commander of the Navy, Major Harrison, Commander Jones of the Sons of Veterans and Commander Atwell of the ex-Frisers of War.

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ernment as to its policy beyond the points specifically laid down in the President's response to Emperor Kwang Hsu's first appeal, and the answer to Li Hung Chang's appeal for mediation. However, this may be, the State Department does not regard it as expedient at this moment to make public the latest phases of the negotiations, so it is impossible to know from this side whether or not they have touched upon propositions to divide China into spheres for military occupation and to provide a temporary government at Peking, or to endeavor to re-establish relations with the existing dynasty in China, though it may be assumed nothing has been said on this subject.

HEROES OF THE NAVY PARADE.

Veterans of Civil and Spanish Wars March in Chicago.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Licensed Wire. CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—This was the day of the Grand Army Encampment set aside for the men of the Navy, and from morning until evening the ensigns of the sea were taking precedence over the battle flags of the men who fought on land. Two thousand strong the men who fought with Farragut, Dupont and Porter, along the Atlantic coast, in the Gulf and up and down the Mississippi River, marched through the streets, which were packed with a cheering, applauding multitude.

Beside the men who fought afloat from 1812 to '65, came the younger generation who helped to demolish Montezuma's fleet in Manila Bay, and made glorious history when Cervera sailed out of Santiago harbor to defeat.

With the veterans of the navy marched a band of men whose lot during the war comprised the worst of hardships, but none the less was as full of glory as the career of the bravest fighters of them all. These were the members of the Association of ex-prisoners of war, who received an enthusiastic greeting as they marched along.

The parade, which was but a prelude to the great march of the Grand Army tomorrow, started at 11 o'clock from Michigan avenue and Randolph street

and after a short march through the downtown streets, started to march at Jackson Boulevard, passed on south under the beautiful archway at Van Ness street, through the court of honor and under the archway at Michigan avenue and Hubbard Court, where it passed in review before Commander-in-Chief Shaw of the G. A. R., acting Governor, national commander of the Navy, Governor Tanner, Commander of the Navy, Major Harrison, Commander Jones of the Sons of Veterans and Commander Atwell of the ex-Frisers of War.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Peter Maher and Joe Choynski have both trained hard and are in good condition for their twenty-five round fight at the Broadway Athletic Club tomorrow night.

Maher and Choynski are well matched in size and skill and it will probably require many rounds of hard fighting to bring about the defeat of either man. Choynski has fought Jeffries to a twenty-round draw and Maher has met such good men as Bob Fitzsimmons and Gus Ruhlin.

FIVE DAYS IN JAIL AND NO COMPLAINT FILED.

After lying in jail five days charged with felony, D. D. Ledbetter was dismissed by Police Judge Smith this morning on complaint having been filed.

Ledbetter was arrested by J. Messina, a citizen, and delivered to a policeman with instructions to book him on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon. Messina stated that as he was closing his saloon at midnight, Ledbetter, whom he claimed not to know, assaulted him and struck him with some weapon cutting a gash in his scalp which required nine stitches with a surgeon's needle to close.

Ledbetter said the trouble arose in Messina's saloon over a personal matter and the quarrel was continued to the street, where Messina struck him. That in the struggle that followed Ledbetter pushed or knocked Messina over a barrel and that in falling he had cut his scalp.

Today was the second cutting of the case and no complaint having been filed Ledbetter was discharged after five days in jail. His arrest having been effected by a private citizen who afterwards failed to appear against him, Ledbetter gave his occupation as an engineer and presented a good appearance.

An organist who died in Sweden had held the position of choir leader and organist in one church for seventy-two years without missing a service. He and his ancestors had played the organ in the same church for 200 years.



FIGHT TONIGHT

Fierce Sluggers Will Meet for the Fifth Time.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Tommy West and Joe Walcott are both in excellent condition and ready for their fight at Madison Square Garden tonight. These men have fought in the ring four times in the past. Each has learned by hard experience the fighting qualities of the other. Walcott's desperate rushes and random swings are as familiar to West as the tricks and moves of his sparring partner. He has studied these dangerous books of the "Barbados Demon" until he believes it impossible for one of them to land hard enough to do him harm, but he has provided for a chance landing of one of them by putting himself in position to stand a deal of punishment.

Walcott thinks of the fight much the same way. Four contests have taught him just where his danger lies and at which style of fighting he has the best chance to win. For years these fighters have been meeting men out of their class. They have knocked out middleweights, waterweights and heavyweights but in their respective careers neither has met a tougher customer than the other.

West has prepared himself for this battle in his Brooklyn gym, and in training quarters at Bath Beach. Matty Matthews and Harry Fisher have sparred, roughed and wrestled with him every day for three weeks, and he will enter the ring fit as he ever was in his life.

Walcott has done his work at Newdorp. There are no flaws in his condition and he has announced that he will win before the twelfth round.

D'ARVILLE IS NOW A BRIDE.

Married at Noon to Mr. E. W. Crellin of Oakland.

At high noon today, in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the groom, Miss Camille D'Arville was married to E. W. Crellin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Arthur Crellin on Jackson street.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Ritchie of St. Paul's Episcopal church in the front parlor, which was decorated with amaryllis and ferns. An elaborate breakfast was served, the decorations of the bride's table being pink and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Crellin left this afternoon for a week's trip. There is a contract yet unfulfilled by Mrs. Crellin at a San Francisco theater, but it is stated by the family that he popular singer has left the stage for good and all.

Those present at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Crellin, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crellin of Pleasanton, Mrs. Herbert Holman of Portland, Miss Crellin, Miss Laura Crellin, Mr. Stanley Crellin, Mr. and Mrs. Folsom of San Mateo, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Doane, Miss Vanners, Mr. Walter Morgan, Mr. Fred Morgan, Mr. Clarence Doane, Mrs. Mackay, Miss Mackay and Mrs. De Greer of San Francisco.

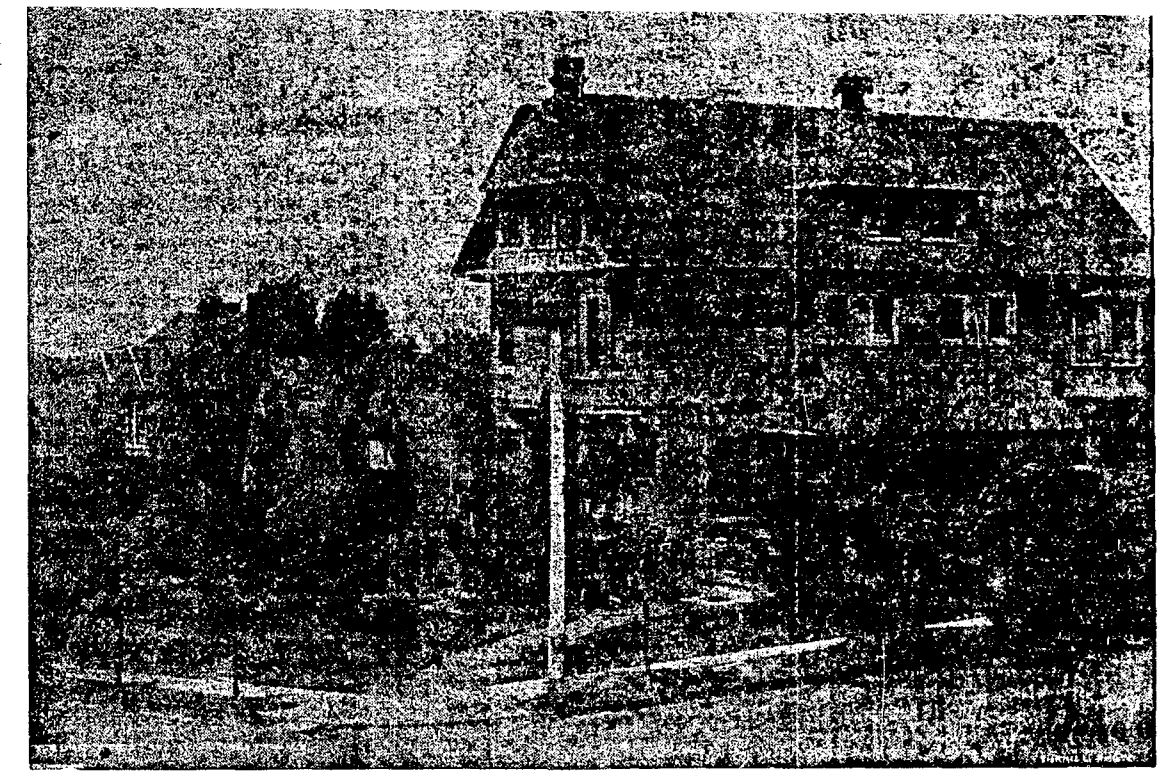
Badly Broken Up

A big barn door fell on I. Allen Sunday morning, nearly put the man out of business. When he reached the Receiving Hospital he was in terrible agony and feared that he was going to die. Dr. Rowe attended and while he assured Allen that his injuries were not fatal he admitted that he was pretty badly broken up. His right shoulder blade was broken, collar bone fractured, muscles of his right side injured and there was a contused wound on his head.

Lambert Will Contest

The hearing of the contest to the probate of the will of Catherine Lambert deceased was continued for three weeks by Judge Ellsworth.

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El Dorado avenue, lying parallel with Oakland avenue (the line of the car track) and two blocks westward, forms one of the handsomest thoroughfares on the Terrace. The engineer, in laying out the tract, has taken advantage of the natural conformation of the land to secure a graceful serpentine avenue, on either side of which the land rises in handsome terraces, forming very desirable residence sites. That this is appreciated is shown by the number of houses, recently erected, or in process of construction on this street.

EAGER TO FIGHT FOR UNCLE SAM.

Enlist in the Army.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Enlistments in the army have been phenomenal since the beginning of the trouble in China, says the Washington correspondent of the Herald. Young men in all parts of the country have flocked to the recruiting offices anxious to see active military service in a foreign land. The recruiting officers are taking their pick of the applicants, and are having no difficulty in keeping the regular army about up to its full limit under the law.

Colonel Thomas Ward, the Assistant Adjutant-General in charge of the enlisted men's division, said that enlistments in the army have never been so numerous as at present. This is the more remarkable since the recruiting in the harvest period is always less than at any other time of the year. Then the young men out of work find all they want to do on farms in the West.

The official records show that the enlistments for April were 1,274, May 1,418, June 1,647, July 2,700, and for the first ten days of August, covered by reports so far received by the War Department, 8,710. This furnished an aggregate of 7,940 men for that period. Usually the same months of any further year have furnished hardly one-half that number.

Colonel Ward said: "Of the 2,700 enlistments for July about 1,800 were for foreign service, of which number about 750 were enlisted directly for regiments designated for such service, while upward of a thousand were sent to rendezvous for assignment to such regiments and those already in the Orient. The other enlistments were for four battalions, the artillery, or for general assignment, 250 of which were made at military posts for organizations serving there."

That the army is getting its choice of the young men of the country is shown by the fact that during July alone no less than 9,000 men who applied for enlistment were rejected.

The recruiting officers have been able to respond to the demands of the various regiments for recruits, and there are 143 men now awaiting assignments to commands.

Recruiting at present is all for the regular army. Under the existing law the volunteer force must all be mustered out of the service on or before July 1, 1901. It is the purpose of the War Department to begin returning the volunteers from the Philippines early in December, and the various regiments will be mustered out from time to time as they reach this country.

Recruiting for that service was stopped some time since and the volunteer force has fallen from its authorized strength of 35,000 men to 31,741 officers and men. Every effort is being made by the Navy Department to recruit the navy up to its full enlisted strength. To provide crews for the battleship Alabama and battleship Wisconsin it will be necessary to place the battleships Indiana and Massachusetts in the history of the Stock Exchange. The authorized strength of the enlisted branch of the service is 17,500 men and 2,500 boys. The present number of enlisted men is 13,896 and 1,715 boys.

Like the army, the navy is particularly careful in making enlistments.

The latest action taken to obtain recruits is the assignment of the tug Portune to duty as a recruiting ship. She is now scouring the ports on Long Island Sound, and as soon as she has forty recruits she returns to New York, transfers them to the receiving ship Vermont and returns to the next point on her itinerary. When she has completed her tour of ports on the Sound the Portune will go up the Hudson as far as Albany.

BIG SHRINKAGE IN SECURITIES.

London Money Market Is in a Stagnant Condition.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The Times' London financial correspondent says: "The American gold which has been arriving all week has again been the chief factor in governing discount rates. These, in the early part of the week, steadily slipped back, although they received a temporary check from the announcement made last Saturday that 1,000,000 pounds in treasury bill paid off on the 15th and 1,555,000 pounds maturing on the 24th were to be replaced by the new issue tendered for Friday. The effect of this, however, was only momentary, as on Monday further large disbursements by the government glutted the market with credit and rates persistently eased until three months' bills could be melted at 3 1/2 per cent. Toward the end of the week the market began to realize that the end of the month was approaching when, in addition to the usual window-dressing requirements of the banks, money would have to be found for consols and general settlements on the Stock Exchange. Rates, therefore, began to creep up again by the same minute stages as they had gone down, and this upward movement was accentuated by the discovery of the publication of bank returns that government money had been absorbed in repayment of the advances made against bullion in transit and that the market was poorer by over 500,000 pounds in consequence of its share of the installment due on exchequer bonds."

Then came the news that the bank was again absorbing as much floating credit as it could get, and the week closed with discount at 3 1/2 and 3 3/4, with a good prospect of hardening still further on rumors that an impending Russian loan of 15,000,000 pounds may be placed in Paris.

Tenders for the above-mentioned loan, the allotments were 1,000,000 for each six and twelve months and 588,000 pounds for nine months, all at an average as nearly as possible of 3 1/4 per cent.

This will result in a rather higher market than expected, and the fact that the government has had to pay such a price for accommodation should have a decided effect in hardening rates. They are not likely, however, to be strengthened to any marked degree during the next week or two, as the demand for money remains unimportant, and the charge for loans being moderate will tend to keep the discount market easy. Cost has advanced a little more during the past few days, but the requirements have been only temporary, as was proved by the fact that loans for the week were about one-half of 1 per cent easier than a week ago, in spite of the fact that this period includes the Stock Exchange settlement, which commences on the 27th.

Accounts, however they may be arranged, will not affect the market to any great extent, as the past fortnight has been of such stagnation as never before equaled in the history of the Stock Exchange. The brokers have had next to no business and at the same time have had to watch as patiently as they could the steady shrinkage in values of nearly all the securities from consols downward. As an indication of how great this shrinkage has been, the Bankers' Magazine calculates that the depreciation during the past two months has reached the total of 70,427,000 pounds, while since 1898 the fall in market value has been some 220,000,000 pounds.

Split Scalp With Iron Bar.

J. Campbell, an old man, applied at the Receiving Hospital at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, to be treated for a lacerated scalp wound that extended to the bone. He said he came from East Berkeley and that the injury was made by a bar of iron falling on his head.

TOURNAMENT FOR WOMEN GOLFERS.

Begin Tomorrow at Long Island.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—By far the most important and interesting championship tournament ever held by the Women's Golf Association of America will begin tomorrow morning on the links of the Shinnecock Club links of Southampton. Sixty-five fair experts have entered and at least a third of these are believed to have excellent chances of winning.

They have come from the West, the South and the East and each player has spent weeks in perfecting her game. Miss Ruth Underhill, the champion; Miss Bontrix Hoyt, the ex-champion; Miss Genevieve Hecker, the metropolitan champion; Miss Essie Anthony of Chicago, the Western champion; Miss Caleb Fox of Philadelphia, the silver medalist in the 1899 tournament; Miss Julia Clark, Miss Frances Griscom of Philadelphia; Mrs. A. Dewitt Cochran of Ardley and numerous other stars have been familiarizing themselves with the beautiful Long Island course.

Despite recent reverses and apparently indifferent form recently, Miss Hoyt is the most interesting personality in golf. Her game is remarkable, and her admirers predict that she will play it this week and recapture the title that Miss Underhill wrested from her in 1899. Shinnecock Hills is her home club and she knows every hill and valley, every putting green and fair green by heart. In this she will have a decided advantage over many of her opponents.

Miss Underhill is a hard worker and puts up a good sample of golf, but her game lacks brilliancy, and therefore her enthusiasm over her playing. Few believe she will be even a competitor in the semi-finals.

Miss Anthony of Chicago and Mrs. Fox of Philadelphia are regarded as really dangerous, but down in their hearts Easterners fully expect to see them beaten. Miss Julia Clark has been attracting considerable attention of late by her clever playing at Shinnecock Hills and she will have a good gallery behind her every day.

THE FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD.

Prompt Payment the Motto of This Order.

Napa, Calif., Aug. 23, 1900.
Dr. A. J. Kahn, President of Napa Lodge, No. 131, of the Fraternal Brotherhood—Dear Sir and Brother: I desire to express my sincere thanks to the officers and members of Napa Lodge, and through you to the Supreme Lodge of the Fraternal Brotherhood, for the very prompt payment of my claim of \$1,000.00, on account of the death of my brother, Archie Gridley, who had been a member of the order less than one month when he was stricken with measles and died after an illness of only a few days. I have today received a certified check for the full amount of my claim, and it will ever give me pleasure to recommend the Fraternal Brotherhood to those seeking good and reliable insurance and fraternal protection, at a reasonable cost. Fraternally yours, (Signed) EUGENE GRIDLEY.

BERGOVICH DEMANDS A TRIAL BY JURY.

B. Bergovich, arrested for operating a nickel-in-the-slot machine was up before Police Judge Smith this morning on the charge of gambling and demanding a jury trial the case was set for September 6th at 10 a. m. As this will, on the part of the machine men, be a test case, considerable interest is being manifested.

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The Allies Have Serious Work Cut Out for Them.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: "It would be idle to deny that there is a good deal of uneasiness in official circles at the non-arrival of direct news from Peking. Even allowing for the interruption of the telegraph line, it might have been thought that runners could have been got through to Tien Tsin, or even that a detachment could have been sent back to hold the communication if the requisite moral effect had been produced by the recent victories. It would seem, however, that the anti-foreign forces in China, Boxers and others, are not yet reduced to submission or even inspired with as much terror of the European army as could be desired. They must have learned by this time that they cannot stand against civilized troops in the field, and General Dordard's engagement at Tien Tsin is another proof of this."

Yet whether inspired by mere fanaticism or by hopes of assistance from the quarters of the empire, bands who posed the advance do not seem to be dispersing, but are still gathered around Peking and on the road to the coast. In the capital itself the allies may have a difficult task still, considering the vast population of the city and the numbers of disorderly Tartar clansmen who have been assembling there for weeks past.

General Dordard's statement that a famine is imminent unless supplies can be forwarded quickly to Tien Tsin points to another of the difficulties with which the allies have to contend. It is urgently necessary that the road from Taku to Peking should be rendered perfectly secure without delay, and it is doubtful whether even now the forces accumulating at the coast are at all equal to the task.

No confirmation has yet been received of the alleged capture of the Dowager Empress and the Emperor. If they have got clear away and are able to establish a central Chinese government in Shang Sea province, it will be hopeless to attempt to follow them at present. A march of 600 or 700 miles to the interior of Northern China is out of the question unless the powers could place a mighty army at the disposal of the allied commanders.

The diplomatic situation makes no progress. All the foreign officers are still waiting to obtain exact information from their representatives in Peking. Germany, of course, is quite content that the suspense should be prolonged for some time, as the Berlin government would prefer that no decisive step should be taken until Count Von Waldersee arrives to take command of the joint contingent. The British government is also not disposed to hurry matters, hoping, for one thing, that there will be considerable improvement in the South African situation in the course of the next few weeks, thus leaving Great Britain free to assume a more pronounced attitude in China, if such a course should seem desirable.

In financial circles considerable anxiety is felt with regard to the virtual Russian seizure of the North China railway, and the government is strongly urged to demand a guarantee that the rights of British investors and concessionaires shall be respected.

The reports from the southern and central provinces continue disquieting. Viceroy Ching Chih Tungs declaration that he will resist all attempts to extort territory, and the Viceroy of Eze Chuen's dispatch of a body of troops to the Tonquin frontier, are taken as indications that both these powerful Governors will stand by the Empress Dowager's government. It is expected to exist. The march of large hordes of Black Flags towards Peking also shows that the anti-foreign movement, so far from being checked, is spreading throughout the empire.

LABORER KNOCKED DOWN AND RUN OVER.

John Forbes, an oiler on the street railroad tracks at Thirteenth and Washington streets, was knocked down and run over by a horse and buggy driven by a careless driver Saturday afternoon.

Forbes was cleaning and oiling a switch when he was struck by a front wheel of the buggy and thrown prostrate on the street, two wheels of the buggy passing over him. The driver was looking behind at the time of the accident and only stopped long enough to ascertain that Forbes was not killed, then whipped up and drove away. The accident occurred within a block of the police station and on one of the business corners of the city, but no effort was made to detain the man or ascertain his name.

Forbes was carried to a drug store, where it was found that his injuries comprised a sprained left ankle and right wrist and a badly wrenched back. His hurts were bandaged, after which he was put on a car and sent to his home in East Oakland.

BURGLARS OPERATING ON WASHINGTON STREET

Patrolmen found the door of the establishment of A. Schlueter & Company at 1128 Washington street, open early Saturday morning and fastened it with staples and padlock obtained at the police station a half a block away. They left a note on the door, saying the key could be obtained at the police station. Late in the day the clerk passing over the jewelry department reported that a number of pieces of jewelry including a set of gold-plated rings were missing. The police say there was no evidence of the door having been forced and in the opinion of the detectives the door was not securely fastened Saturday night.

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CO-EDS MUST DO GYM WORK.

New Edict Promulgated By the University Authorities.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Aug. 27.—The co-eds will be compelled to swing dumb-bells and go through the other gymnastic exercises as regularly as the men students. The new edict has gone forth from the University authorities that as soon as the new girls' gymnasium is completed work in it shall be obligatory for the women students, instead of optional as for itself.

The coming change is due principally to the wishes of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, who desires to have the girl students well developed physically, and to carry out the plan has asked that the gymnastic exercises be made compulsory for the women. She has embodied her wishes in the terms of the gift to the University of Hearst Hall, which she will set up as a gymnasium for the co-eds. She has made it a condition of the gift that the work be made compulsory, and as the condition was a sine qua non the acceptance of the building by the University speaks for itself.

The building will be placed on its new site on College avenue in a few weeks, and the edict will be in place by Christmas. In connection with the gymnasium basket ball courts will be built on an ideal plan, with tankard courts, under drainage, enclosed bleachers, shower and sun baths and elaborate dressing-rooms.

FRESHMEN DRILL.
At 11:15 o'clock this morning the freshmen were initiated into the mysteries of military drill. Under the command of Colonel Robert Moulthrop they were organized into cadet companies. The companies will be in command of Captain Ralph T. Fisher, H. B. Matthews, Chas. McConaughy and Nathan Moran.

STUDENTS AS FORESTERS.
Three students who have done excellent work in the forestry service of the United States have returned to Berkeley. They are Guy W. Eddy, G. W. Parsons and L. D. Hyde. With A. T. Hus, they spent the past two months in Del Norte and Humboldt counties. Their time was devoted to the investigation of the age and distribution of the redwoods and the collection of facts throwing light upon the life history of the forest. The officials have expressed great satisfaction at the quality of the work done by the University boys. The University has been asked to find three students who are willing to do forestry work for the United States in the San Bernardino mountains from now until November 1st at a salary of \$2 a month with all expenses paid.

PROF. STRINGHAM RETURNING.
Professor Irving Stringham, head of the department of mathematics at the University, is expected back from Paris next week. Professor Stringham has been abroad for a year pursuing higher studies.

INSURANCE SOLICITOR CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

J. G. Barnes, formerly a solicitor for the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, was arraigned in the Police Court this morning on the charge of forgery and September 3d was fixed as the date for his examination.

Barnes was arrested Saturday night on complaint of John Gray, an agent of the insurance company, who alleges that Barnes, since he left the employ of the company, has been issuing forged applications for insurance and pocketing the premiums.

STILL IN BUSINESS.

Rumors to the effect that the Elite Ladies' Tailoring Parlors have gone out of business are without foundation. We are still located in the Sidney block, 422 Thirteenth street, parlors 9 and 10, continuing to make a high grade of ladies' tailoring. We now have the latest Parisian and New York patterns. Trades invited. Reference, Taft & Pennoyer.

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